

BUILD GREEN NOW 2025

AGENDA

- 09:00 – Registration and Networking

10:00 – Opening

Welcome & Launch of “Building A Circular Ireland” Roadmap

James Browne TD – Minister for Housing, Local Government and Heritage of Ireland

10:25 – Keynote Speech

Circular Economy Principles

Carolina Montano Owen – Technical Lead for Sustainable Buildings at World Green Building Council

10:40 – Presentation

Public Procurement Promoting Use of Timber

Kirsten Haggart – Director at Waugh Thistleton Architects

10:45 – Panel Discussion

Building a Circular Ireland

Carolina Montano Owen, John Casey, Ossian Smyth, Kirsten Haggart

11:15 – Coffee Break

11:45 – Presentation

Embodied Ecological Impact of Materials

Kai Liebetanz – Head of Nature and Resources at UK Green Building Council

12:05 – Case Study

Circular by Design

Karolina Bäckman Faulkner – Circular Design Specialist at 3XN GXM

12:20 – Presentation

Resource Efficient Urban Planning

Philip Comerford – Design Fellow and Researcher at University College Dublin

12:30 – Panel Discussion

Reducing Material Impact with Circular and Resource Efficiency Strategies

Kai Liebetanz, Philip Comerford, Karolina Bäckman Faulkner

13:00 – Lunch Break

14:00 – Presentation

Communicating Climate Action in a Changing World

Helen Shaw – Climate Solutions Storyteller at Athena Media

14:15 – Panel Discussion

Optimising Our Building Stock

Carolina Koronen, Paul Johnston, Johanna Wiedermann, Alison Gilliland

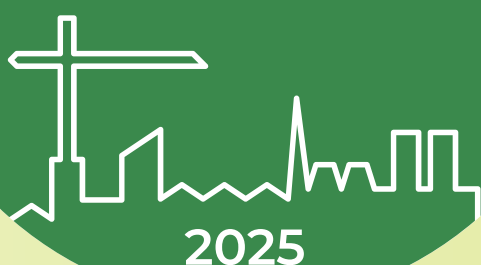
15:00 – Closing Speaker

Michael Healy-Rae TD – Minister of State at the Department of Agriculture, Food and the Marine, with Special Responsibility for Forestry

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